

## **AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Please replace the paragraph that begins on page 17, line 19, with the following amended paragraph:

The peak MIPS application resource requirement indicates the highest processor load of the application 350 and the percentage of time that the processor load must be sustained. Using this value, the present invention may carry out a variety of options.

Please replace the paragraph that begins on page 28, line 3, with the following amended paragraph:

In this document, the terms “computer program medium”, “computer-usable medium”, “machine-readable medium” and “computer-readable medium” are used to generally refer to media such as main memory 706 and secondary memory 712, removable storage drive 716[[,]] and a hard disk installed in hard disk drive 714[[, and signals]]. These computer program products are means for providing software to the computer system. The computer-readable medium allows the computer system to read data, instructions, messages or message packets, and other computer-readable information from the computer-readable medium. The computer-readable medium, for example, may include non-volatile memory, such as ~~Floppy~~ floppy, ROM, ~~Flash~~ flash memory, ~~Disk~~ disk drive memory, CD-ROM, and other permanent storage. It is useful, for example, for transporting information, such as data and computer instructions, between computer systems. ~~Furthermore, the computer readable medium may include computer readable information in a transitory state medium such as a network link and/or a network interface, including a wired network or a wireless network, that allow a computer to read such computer readable information.~~